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Applicant

: Harald Richter et al.

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Title

TROUB TOO : Method of Processing Organic Antireflection

Layers

Examiner

: Allan W. Olsen

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Supplemental Response

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office communication dated March 11, 2003 and further to the amendment filed December 26, 2002 in response to the Office action dated September 25, 2002, kindly consider the following remarks:

Remarks:

Reconsideration of the application is requested.